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### **IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Page 2, line 24 through page 3, line 16 have been amended as follows:

An elongated recess (12), with an L-like cross section, is defined at the bottom of the body and extends to the rear portion of the body. An aperture (121) is defined through the elongated recess (12) and is in communication with the interior of the body. The elongated recess (12) is covered with an L-like strip (11) integrated with the body by ~~means of~~ welding. A tab (14) is formed at the rear portion of the body, and an inlet (141) is defined through the tab (14) and is in communication with the recess (12).

With reference to Figs. 3 to 5, the recess (12) is fully filled with vibration-absorbing material (15) through the inlet (141) by ~~means of~~ injecting, and air in the recess (12) will be discharged from the aperture (121). Thereafter, a sealing element (142) with adhesive is engaged with the inlet (141) for enclosing the recess (12). A passage (1421) is longitudinally defined through the sealing element (142), and the redundant air and adhesive can be discharged from the passage (1421). After the adhesive has solidified, the part of the tab (14) protruded from the rear portion of the body is removed to finish the head (10). Therefore, the head (10) of the present invention can not only have a pleasant impact sound, but also can absorb vibration when a player strikes a ball.

Page 3, line 24 through page 4, line 11 have been amended as follows:

With reference to Figs. 8 and 9, the recess (22) is also fully filled with the vibration-absorbing material (15) through the inlet (241), and air in the recess (22) will be discharged from the aperture (221). Thereafter, a sealing element (242) with adhesive is engaged in the inlet (241) for sealing the recess ([12] 22). A passage (2421) is longitudinally defined through the sealing element (242), and the redundant air and adhesive can be discharged from the passage (2421). After the adhesive has solidified, the part of the tab (24) protruded from the rear portion of the body is removed to finish the head ([10] 10').

According to ~~teaching~~ the teachings of the invention, it will be known by those skilled in the art that the recess also can be defined at the heel, the toe, the top or other appropriate portions of the body (not shown in these figures), which will not depart from the scope of the present invention.